

**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

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Contract #: 04-0120F4Cty: SF/ALA Rte: 80 PM: 13.2/13.9File #: 69.28**WELDING INSPECTION REPORT****Resident Engineer:** Pursell, Gary**Address:** 333 Burma Road**City:** Oakland, CA 94607**Report No:** WIR-003744**Date Inspected:** 05-Aug-2008**Project Name:** SAS Superstructure**OSM Arrival Time:** 1400**Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**OSM Departure Time:** 2230**Contractor:** Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China**CWI Name:** Chen Chih Ming**CWI Present:** Yes No**Inspected CWI report:** Yes No N/A**Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No N/A**Electrode to specification:** Yes No N/A**Weld Procedures Followed:** Yes No N/A**Qualified Welders:** Yes No N/A**Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A**Approved Drawings:** Yes No N/A**Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A**Delayed / Cancelled:** Yes No N/A**Bridge No:** 34-0006**Component:** OBG**Summary of Items Observed:**

Caltrans Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector, Larry Viars was present to observe fabrication and perform Magnetic Particle Testing (MT) of Orthotropic Box Girder (OBG) and Tower components, for the San Francisco Oakland Bay Self Anchored Suspension Bridge, at Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) facility on Changxing Island.

**OBG Assembly Shop Bay # 2**

The Caltrans QA Inspector performed Magnetic particle Testing (MT) verification of the following ZPMC QC inspected and accepted fillet welds joining stiffeners to side panels on OBG section 4BW: SP-73B, SP37B, SP7A & OBG Section 4AE: SP42A and SP20A. All of the welds that were examined appeared to comply with AWS D1.5 2002 and the contract documents. See MT report TL-6028 generated on this date for further information.

**Summary of Conversations:**

Only general conversations between Caltrans QA and QC occurred this date.

**Comments**

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Ady Velasco, 138 1694 2685, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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<b>Inspected By:</b>	Viars,Larry	Quality Assurance Inspector
<b>Reviewed By:</b>	Lanz,Joe	QA Reviewer

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